

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 TOKYO 05193 270442 Z

13

ACTION EA-14

INFO OCT-01 ARA-11 NEA-10 ADP-00 PM-09 NSC-10 SS-15 RSC-01

CIAE-00 DODE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 PA-03 USIA-12 PRS-01

RSR-01 /098 W

----- 045012

R 270253 Z APR 73

FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3443

INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA

AMEMBASSY TEGUCIGALPA

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE TOKYO 5193

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR JA US TU HO

SUBJECT: GOJ ANNOUNCES NEW AMBASSADORS

1. FOLLOWING REGULAR CABINET MEETING APRIL 20 GOJ ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT OF TATSUO HIROSE AS AMBASSADOR TO TURKEY AND KATSUSHIGE TAKEUCHI TO HONDURAS. BOTH ARE CAREER DIPLOMATS. MOST RECENTLY HIROSE HAS SERVED AS AEP TO MOROCCO, AND TAKEUCHI AS CONSUL GENERAL IN LAS PALMAS.

2. HIROSE, BORN FEB 2, 1914, SHIMANE PREFECTURE, ENTERED MOFA AFTER GRADUATING TOKYO UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF LAW 1939. DURING ARMY SERVICE (1941-45) HE ROSE FROM SECOND LIEUTENANT TO CAPTAIN. RETURNING TO MOFA, HE SERVED AS LIAISON OFFICER TO OCCUPATION FORCES, AND IN CONSULAR, ECONOMIC AND TRADE PROMOTION SECTIONS BEFORE POSTING TO BRUSSELS AS SECOND SECRETARY, 1952. PROMOTED TO FIRST SECRETARY APRIL 1953 AND TRANSFERRED TO LEGATION AT CAIRO IN JULY, WHERE HE TOOK PART IN JAPAN'S RESTORATION OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH IRAN, MOVING TO TEHRAN IN NOVEMBER 1953. NEXT SERVED AS CHIEF, LATIN AMERICA SECTION, BUREAU OF TRADE, MOFA (1954-55) AND IN EMIGRATION BUREAU (1955-57) WHERE HE NAMED CHIEF, PASS-PORT SECTION 1957. POSTED TO VATICAN AS FIRST SECRETARY 1958.

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 TOKYO 05193 270442 Z

PROMOTED TO COUNSELOR 1959, AND NAMED COUNSELOR CONCURRENTLY TO ROME IN FEBRUARY AND ALSO TO TUNIS IN MARCH 1960. AS COUNSELOR ASIAN AFFAIRS BUREAU MOFA (1964-66) HE SERVED AS DELEGATE TO JAPAN- ROK TALKS MARCH 1964. NAMED AEP TO SENEGAL 1966, AND CONCURRENTLY TO MALI, GAMBIA, MAURITANIA AND GUINEA 1967. NAMED AEP TO MOROCCO 1969.

3. MRS. HIROSE NAME KIYOKO. DAUGHTER MASAKO BORN 1945, AND SONS MASAYUKI 1947 AND NOBUYUKI 1948.

4. KATSUSHIGE TAKEUCHI BORN DECEMBER 17, 1909, GRADUATED TOKYO UNIVERSITY OF FOREIGN STUDIES 1932, WITH SPANISH LANGUAGE MAJOR. ASSIGNED BY MOFA AS STUDENT TRAINEE IN MADRID (1932-35). AFTER DUTY IN TRADE AND AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAUS, MOFA, HE POSTED TO CHILE 1938-44. THEN SERVED IN MOFA RESEARCH BUREAU (1944-46) AND IN SERIES OF ASSIGNMENTS IN INFORMATION BUREAU (1946-53). RETURNED TO LATIN AMERICA AS VICE-CONSUL BUENOS AIRES (1953-56) AND SECOND SECRETARY DOMINICAN REPUBLIC (1956-58). SERVED IN CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA SECTION, AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU, MOFA 1958-63. POSTED TO NICARAGUA (1965) AS COUNSELOR OF EMBASSY, AND TO LAS PALMAS AS CONSUL GENERAL 1971. TEGUCIGALPA HIS FIRST AMBASSADORIAL POST.
INGERSOLL

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
NMAFVVZCZ

*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts:
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 27 APR 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: hilburpw
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973TOKYO05193
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: n/a
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: TOKYO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730455/aaaajaif.tel
Line Count: 87
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: hilburpw
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 07 NOV 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <07-Nov-2001 by smithrj>; APPROVED <09-Nov-2001 by hilburpw>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: <DBA CORRECTED> gwr 980206
Subject: GOJ ANNOUNCES NEW AMBASSADORS
TAGS: PFOR, HO, JA, TU, US, n/a
To: ANKARA
EA
SECSTATE WASHDC
TEGUCIGALPA
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005